

OFF TO CAMP

On last Friday, March 8th, the following forty-two men from Pocahontas county took train for Camp Greenleaf, at Lytle, Georgia. This completes our county's quoto of 148 men in the first call.

Harry Pullin, Howard Pawley, Ern est Brown, Roy Jayne, Norval W. Pritchard, Roscoe Bennett, Cecil Dilley, Charles M. Simmons, Jasper Hinkle, C.P. Pritchard, Clyde Grogg, Asey E. Cassel, Darius Hogan, Brodus C. McFadden, William Sampson, Den cy E. Sharp, Jesse W. Wooddell, Jas. Hebden Rhea, Clark Gum, W. Hanson Moore, Lewis E. Christian, Cameron C. Cutlip, Lake E. Anderson, Frank B. Herbert, Floyd L. Branscome, Alderson Beale, Chas. McQuain

Morrison, Clyde McLaughlin, Russ Wainwright, All Garrison, W. R. Mitchel, John Vandil, Austin B. Beale, Harry E. Matheny, Cecil C. Sheets, Ira Puffenbarger. Norval W. Pritchard was put in

and Sandy Gay.

The Red Cross presented each man with a Testament and a Comfort Kit; the ladies of the town gave lunches and Uncle Sam contributed the tin cups

Soon after our troops entrained the second section of the passenger train passed with the men from Randolph and other counties to the north of us. Four coaches were filled with and they were sure a lively them. bunch

A special troop train was made up at Ronceverte, and they went on with short delay.

THE NEXT CALL

Within the next few days a call will be made for ninety thousand soldiers, to be sent on to the camps about April 1st. Pocahontas County's quoto will be about 17 men.

The scarcity of farm labor demands that no men who are actively engaged on the farm be called to the colors at this time and the Local Board is directed by the President to defer

larmers in the end of the quota.

ATTENTION, FARMERS

READING CIRCLE

There will be a meeting of Greenbank District Teachers at Dunmore, Saturday March 23, 2:30 p. m.

1. How we way improve our school Willie Sheets. 2. Does our curriculum meet need

of rural school-Maud Galford, Stella Shinaberry, Clara Sheets.

3. Compare the interests of country and city school-B. F. E. Wooddell, Jesse Judy, Hallie Taylor.

4. Story telling, its value. Tell story-Flossie Conrad, Sam Spencer, Agnes Correll.

5. In what ways can we be of help to our school throu summer vacation, Chas. Spencer, George Paugh, Mabel Gillispie

W. P. Haught, Chairman, V. B. Mann, Secy.

The Hillsboro school will reopen Sunday mail. Monday after being closed three weeks on account of measles.

absent from us for the past two A Junior Red Cross was organized weeks, owing to the illness and over a month ago. The usual Red death of her mother in Lenoir Cross work relating to school activi-City, Tenn. She has the sincere ties will be done.

A meeting of the Pocahontas sympathy of teachers and pupils The second annual literary contest County Improvement Association will in her very great bereavment. between the Tennyson and Riley so-be held at Marlinton in the County During Miss Moreland's absence cleties will be rendered in the audi-Agent's office on Saturday, March 30, 1918 at 1:30 p.m. This is the regular annual meeting and the offi-cers will be elected for the ensuing year, and other important business transacted. J. A. YOUNG, Secretary. J. A. YOUNG, Secretary. emergency. gram is as follows:

On account of a probable epi-

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demic of measles, our schools are closed for the week beginning should be granted: affirmative (Ten-March 4. We trust that the pre- nyson) Mary Eskridge and Kent cautions taken may prevent the Keene; negative (Riley) Bessie Hanspread of the disease and that nah and Frank McLaughlin. Ora--Nina Curry, Lillie Milligan, and school may open at an early date. tion (Riley) Patriotism, Hull Yeager: Willie Sheets. (Tennyson) Womens Increasing To the Patrons of the Marlinton Sphere, Marie Smith: Essays; (Ten-Postoffice: nyson) The Influence of Patriotic In a few days the statements will Songs, Marjorie Warwick; (Riley) be put in the boxes for those who Giving our High School its Place, desire to rent a dox for another quar-ter. On the first day of the quarter The Die, Mamie White. This selecfree delivery will start in this town. tion was written by Annie Hamilton We hope, however, that the patrons Donnell and has the following charof the office will not give up their acters. The Lie, Russy Rand, Mrs. boxes, anyway until the free delivery Rand and Mr. Rand. Sydney Carhas been running for a quarter, as ter's Sacrifice, John Besling. This is the lock box system is well establish- an excerpt from Dicken's, A Tale of ed and will be useful in connection Two Cities, having the following with the free delivery. Carriers can characters, Sidney Carton, Charles be instructed as to what mail to Darnay, the Earl of Evremond, a seamstress, the Vengeance. leave in the box and what to deliver. The boxes willcome in well for the

The following music selections will be rendered: The Postillion, Wetherby-Moeroy, Boys Chorus. The Boat-Marlinton W. Va. man's Chant, Girls' Chorus. Plano solo, Zoe Crummett, and Out of the North, High School Chorus.

The admission is 25 cents and 15

cents. A large audience, not only of townspeople but the rural districts as

well, should greet these contestants.

Last year the Riley society won three

All persons who want to test their

seed corn before planting, if the corn is brought to the High school build-

ing, the test will be made by the agricultural class freely and gladly.

The Hinton game was won by that

team on Saturday by a score of 36 to 25. The trip to the tournament at

Wesleyan Cyllege, Buckhannon, will be made by Hull Yeager, Frank Mc-Laughlin, French Moore, Fred Ho-bart, John Besling, Allan Sharp and

Page White. This contest will end the finest season the E. D. H. S. has ever had in basket bail. Princi-

pal Merrells will accompany the team and spend the week end at her home.

About forty volumes have been added to the high school library from the proceeds of the Lyceum course.

Dr. L. D. Arbuckle, son of Alex.

Dr. L. D. Arbuekle, son of Alex. Arbuckle, of the Maxwelton commu-nity, now in the Medical Corps, U. S. Navy, stationed on the ship Quiros at Shanghai, China, has been promoted with a gratifying increase of salary from First Lieutenant in the Junior to First Lieutenant in the Senior Grade; which made his rank equiva-lent to Captain.—Greenbrier Inde-pendent.

of the five prizes.

Quicker Check Collections

One way in which our business men come into daily touch with the Federal Reserve Banking System, of which ws are members, is through its check collecting department.

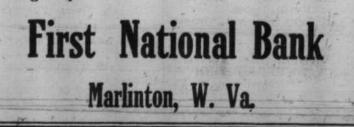
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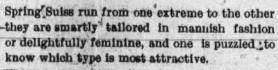


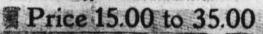
stop in and let us tell you something about the collection of checks; it's an inter-

esting subject.



Spring Opening Thursday, Friday, Saturday March 14, 15 and 16 **A Complete Presentation of Fashions for Spring** Every section is prepared with extensive variety for a great spring business, and advantages of early buying are evewhere evident. Ladies Suits





Women's" Boots

Footwear that will please all womenkind. Ideal for street wear. Built on neat, trim and shape ly lines that show many distinctive features. Plain black and all the popular spring shades and novelties.

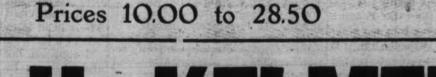
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Beautiful Curtains Bright new curtains in many artistic effects. that will radiate cheer and newness, both inside and outside.

Price 15c - 40c

LADIES' COATS

High spring colorings and soft neutral shades, naval collar, waist coats, vested and cape effects led much of the charm that assures the popularity of separate coats this spring.



Announcing our Spring Millinery Opening March 15th and 16th

which will introduce to the women of this community for the first time this season a complete range of the colors, shapes ane trimmings in vogue for spring 1918.

Every smart shape is presented here; narrow, straight brims; low, me dium and high crowns; smooth braids and rough braids; straw and sattn combinations-all skillfully developed in simple, striking effects, with trimmings of feathers, wings, quills, ribbons. feathers and bands, in innumerable shades.

Plan to be our guests on these 2 days if only to study the new millinery models as a guide for future buying.

